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PATENT

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of: : Ayman Bedair, et al.
Serial No. : 09/475,269
Filed : December 30, 1999
For : ADAPTIVELY MAINTAINING QUALITY OF SERVICE
(QoS) IN DISTRIBUTED PBX NETWORKS
Group No. : 2666
Examiner : K.C. Harper

MAIL STOP AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated August 19, 2005, of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting Claims 1, 3-15 and 20-33. Applicant gratefully acknowledges the indication that Claim 2 is allowable.

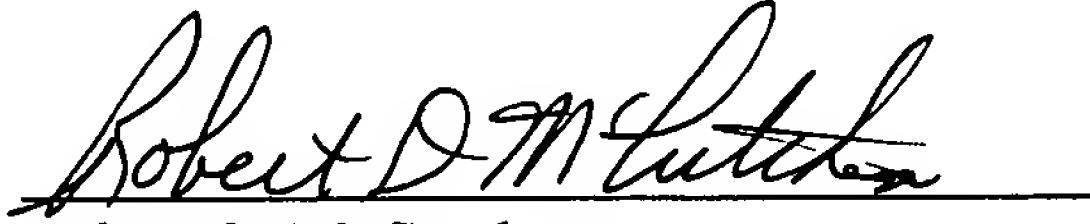
Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension of time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the final Office Action dated August 19, 2005 (and Advisory Action dated November 14, 2005). The response period is presently set to expire on November 19, 2005, and if this Request for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be December 19, 2005.

A check in the amount of \$620.00 is enclosed in payment of the Notice of Appeal filing fee (\$500.00) and one-month extension fee (\$120.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees connected with this communication or credit any overpayment to Davis Munck Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

Respectfully submitted,

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